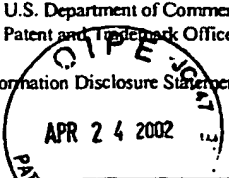


| | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| Form PTO- 1449 U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant | Att. Docket Number : 569-1001 | Serial number : 15/054,206 |
|  | Applicant : Bryden | |
| | Filing date : 1/22/02 | Group : 2631 |

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

| EXAMINER INITIAL | DOCUMENT NUMBER | DATE | PATENTEE/APPLICANT | CLASS | SUBCLASS | FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE |
|---------------------|--------------------|------|--------------------|-------|----------|-------------------------------|
| / | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |

RECEIVED

APR 26 2002

Technology Center 2600

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

| | DOCUMENT NUMBER | PUBLIC DATE | COUNTRY/AGENCY | CLASS | SUBCLASS | TRANSLATION | |
|---|--------------------|----------------|----------------|-------|----------|-------------|----|
| | | | | | | YES | NO |
| / | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |

Other Documents (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Place of Publication, Etc.)

| | | |
|----|--|---|
| WW | | Request For Comments (RFC) 2764 published in February 2000 by the IETF, "A Framework for IP Based Virtual Private Networks" |
| | | Request For Comments (RFC) 3031 published in January 2001 by the IETF, "Multiprotocol Label Switching Architecture" |
| | | Internet Draft draft-kompella-ppvnp-l2vpn-01.txt, published in November 2001 by the IETF, "Layer 2 VPNs Over Tunnels" |
| | | Internet Draft draft-martini-l2circuit-trans-mpls-08.txt, published in November 2001 by the IETF, "Transport of Layer 2 Frames Over MPLS" |
| ↓ | | Request For Comments (RFC) 826 published in November 1982 by the IETF, "An Ethernet Address Resolution Protocol" |

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Examiner Wang | Date Considered 12/1/2005 |
| EXAMINER : Initial if citation is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw a line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. | |

BEST AVAILABLE COPY